

Catrine October 20/64

Genl. Geo. S. Kearsden.

Adjt Genl of Maine.

Dear Sir

I have the honor to recom-
mend the appointment of Capt. Abner R. Small as
Major of the 16th Regt. Inf. Vol. Vice Felcher discharged.

I will admit Genl that this is out of the usual
course somewhat, but the appointment will meet the
views of the majority of the Line Officers & I consider
the Capt. More entitled to the position than any other
Officer in the Regiment.

We are sadly in want of Regt. & National Colos
for the Regt. having lost ours on the 19th of August
at the Welden R. R. Can you do any thing for us
in furnishing them?

I remain Genl

Very Resp^t for Ob^d Serv.

Geo. W. Allen

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Col. Chap^d H. Tilden 16th ^{to} me

Oct. 20. 1864

Recommends Adj. A. R.

Small for Mayor

16th me vts

Com. issued

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